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Robert E. Covington  
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Re: Receipt of Proposed Road Upgrade, Tom Taylor Mine, S/047/065 (UTU-08300), Uintah County, Utah

Dear Mr. Covington:

On May 13, 1998, the Division received the information regarding the road realignment and upgrade for the Tom Taylor Mine. This information was requested in our December 19, 1997 review letter. In the initial submission the haul road disturbance was estimated as 0.97 acres. According to the road realignment the estimated disturbance for the Tom Taylor mine will now include 1.35 acres of road and 0.15 acres of mine facilities. The total site disturbance is estimated as 1.5 acres which is still within the disturbance allowed under our Small Mining Operation Notice of Intention. No additional information is required by the Division at this time.

Thank you for this information and please keep us informed of any additional modifications to your operations.

Sincerely,

Anthony A. Gallegos  
Senior Reclamation Specialist

cc: Pete Sokolosky, BLM Vernal Field Office  
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